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FOR: HOUSING FOR UNDERFLOOR  
RACEWAYS

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**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This responds to the Office Action mailed February 6, 2001. Please amend the  
application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please cancel claims 7 and 30.

Please replace claims 1, 6, 8, 11, 13, 14, 15, 19, 29, and 31 as follows:

B<sup>1</sup>  
1. An afterset housing for providing access to an underfloor electrical distribution  
system of the type comprising at least one raceway panel embedded in a concrete floor, the  
afterset comprising:

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